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TAGS: ESTC COCOM FR UR

SUBJ: REPORTED SALE OF FRENCH SEISMIC EQUIPMENT TO
THE SOVIET UNION

REFS: STATE 299745

FRENCH DEL HAS RESPONDED TO US INQUIRY REGARDING SALE
OF SEISMIC EQUIPMENT TO THE SOVIET UNION AS FOLLOWS:

"WITH REGARD TO THE SALE OF PETROLEUM PROSPECTING
EQUIPMENT BY THE COMPAGNIE GENERALE DE GEOPHYSI-
QUE TO THE USSR, I BELIEVE I MUST CALL TO YOUR
ATTENTION THE FACT THAT THIS TYPE OF EQUIPMENT
HAS NOT BEEN EMBARGOED BY THE INTERNATIONAL LIST SINCE
DECEMBER 1, 1975.

"THIS APPLIES ALSO TO THE FIXED FLOAT CABLES
(AMG 37-43) WHICH DO NOT USE INSULATION COVERED BY THE
EMBARGO TERMS OF ARTICLE 1754(C). ALSO THE HC 202 HYDRO-
PHONES, WHOSE BANDWIDTHS REACH FROM 3 HZ TO LESS THAN
1000 HZ (AT PLUS OR MINUS 3 DB) ARE NOT COVERED BY THE
EMBARGO. THIS WAS CONFIRMED BY YOUR DELEGATION
(SEE COCOM DOC DEF (73) 1510/2 PARA 2 OF MARCH 7, 1973).
I SHOULD ADD THAT THE GROUPING OF HYDROPHONES BY GROUPS
OF 16 IS ONLY FOR IMPROVING THE SENSITIVITY OF THE
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TOTAL GROUP.

"FINALLY THE COMPUTER USED WITH THIS PROSPECTING
EQUIPMENT WAS THE SUBJECT OF EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATION
TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FILED BY THE AMERI-
CAN AFFILIATE OF COMPAGNIE GENERALE DE GEOPHYSIQUE."
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